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Application No.: 10/649,491) Examiner: Not yet assigned
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METHOD OF MANUFACTURE)

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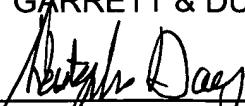
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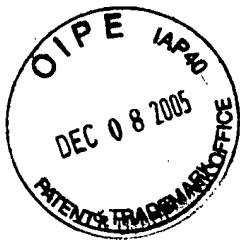
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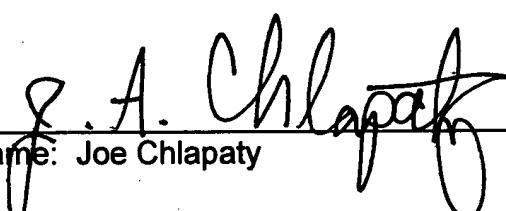
I hereby grant power of attorney to the attorneys and patent agents of FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P., Customer Number 22,852, to represent the undersigned before the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with any and all patent applications assigned only to the undersigned according to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office assignment records or assignment documents attached to this form in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b).

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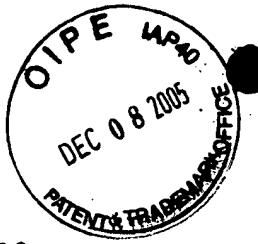
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WHEREAS, I, as below named inventors, am a sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or a joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of certain new and useful improvements in

PIPE STRUCTURE, METHODS OF MANUFACTURE AND APPARATUS FOR SAME

AND WHEREAS, Hancor, Inc., an Ohio corporation with offices at 401 Olive Street, Findlay, Ohio 45839-1047 (hereinafter referenced as ASSIGNEE) is desirous of acquiring all, interest in, to and under said invention, said application disclosing the invention and in, to and under any Letters Patent or similar legal protection which may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, as a sole or joint inventor as indicated below, by these presents do hereby assign, sell and transfer unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest in the said invention, said application, including any divisions and continuations thereof, and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States, and countries foreign thereto, which may be granted for said invention, and in and to any and all priority rights and/or convention rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, Inter-American Convention Relating to Patents, Designs and Industrial Models, and any other international agreements to which the United States of America adheres, and to any other benefits accruing or to accrue to me with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto, and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue the said United States Letters Patent to said ASSIGNEE, as the assignees of the whole right, title and interest thereto;

And I further agree to execute all necessary or desirable and lawful future documents, including assignments in favor of ASSIGNEE or its designee, as ASSIGNEE or its successors, assigns and legal representatives may from time-to-time present to me and without further remuneration, in order to perfect title in said invention, modifications, and improvements in said invention, applications and Letters Patent of the United States and countries foreign thereto;

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reissues of any Letters patent which may be granted for my aforesaid invention, as the ASSIGNEE thereof shall hereafter require and prepare at its own expense;

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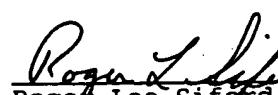
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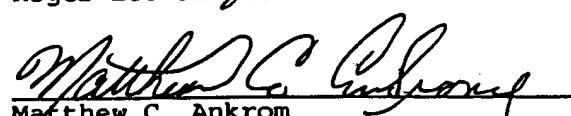
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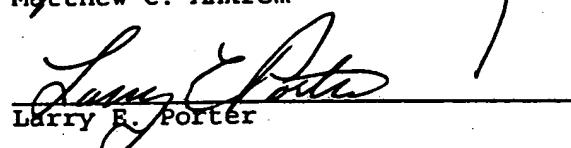
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